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SUBJ: NEWSWEEK REPORT ON BREAKDOWN OF DISENGAGEMENT TALKS

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF DEC 9 REUTER ITEM ON NEWSWEEK REPORT:

QUOTE. THE BREAKDOWN OF THE ARAB-ISRAELI MILITARY TALKS AT
KILOMETER 101 OF THE CAIRO-SUEZ ROAD WAS CAUSED BY SECRE-
TARY OF STATE HENRY KISSINGER, NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE REPORTED
TODAY.

IN ITS CURRENT EDITION, NEWSWEEK QUO ED "HIGH-RANKING
SOURCES" AS SAYING THE ISRAELIS HAD BEEN PREPARED TO NEGO-
TIATE A SEPARATION OF FORCES IN THE TALKS.

BUT NEWSWEEK QUOTED THE SOURCES AS SAYING THAT KISSINGER
ADVISED AGAINST SUCH AN AGREEMENT AT THE LAST-MINUTE, RECOM-

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MENDING INSTEAD THAT THE SUBJECT BE THE FIRST ITEM ON THE

MIDDLE EAST PEACE TALKS OPENING IN GENEVA DEC 18.

"HIS REASONING IS THAT A CONCESSION BY ISRAEL AT THE OUTSET
WOULD GET THE PEACE NEGOTIATIONS OFF TO A PROMISING START,"
NEWSWEEK SAID.

OTHER REPORTS HAVE SAID THE BREAKDOWN WAS CAUSED BY ISRAELI
REFUSAL TO WITHDRAW TO THE LINES THEY HELD ON OCT 22, THE
DAY THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL PASSED ITS FIRST
CEASEFIRE RESOLUTION. UNQUOTE. RUSH

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